

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 IAEA V 07721 191001Z

50

ACTION IO-14

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ARA-16 EUR-25 EA-11 NEA-10 ISO-00 SCI-06

ACDA-19 CIAE-00 INR-10 L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-10 RSC-01

SCEM-02 DODE-00 PM-07 H-03 PA-03 PRS-01 SPC-03 SS-15

USIA-15 NIC-01 DRC-01 /187 W
----- 002800

R 190908Z SEP 73

FM USMISSION IAEA VIENNA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3404

INFO AEC/GERMANTOWN

USMISSION USUN

AMEMBASSY BONN

AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY MEXICO

AMEMBASSY MONTEVIDEO

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

AMEMBASSY OTTAWA

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY RABAT

AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE

AMEMBASSY TANANARIVE

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

UNCLAS IAEA VIENNA 7721

EO: 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, IAEA 17TH GENERAL CONFERENCE: TUESDAY, MORNING,
SEPTEMBER 18.

SUMMARY: OPENING SESSION ANNUAL GENERAL CONFERENCE ELECTED ITS
OFFICERS AND ADMITTED GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC AND MONGOLIA TO
MEMBERSHIP. SESSION WENT SMOOTHLY; ALL DECISIONS WERE BY CONSEN-
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 IAEA V 07721 191001Z

SUS.

1. MEXICAN SECRETARY OF NATURAL RESOURCES HORACIO FLORES DE LA PENA, AS PRESIDENT OF PREVIOUS GC, OPENED SESSION WITH REQUEST FOR FIRST POLITICAL PRAYER USDEL CAN RECALL EVER HEARING. HE ASKED DELEGATES TO STAND FOR A MINUTE AND MEDITATE OR PRAY (A) THAT ATOMIC ENERGY ALWAYS BE USED PEACEFULLY, (B) THAT THERE BE DEVELOPED A CHARTER OF RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN STRONG COUNTRIES AND WEAK, AND (C) THAT FORCE NEVER BY USED AGAINST THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE. FLORES THEN PRESIDED OVER ELECTION BY ACCLAMATION OF NEW PRESIDENT, R. WILLIAM BOSWELL, CHAIRMAN AUSTRALIAN AEC.

2. BOSWELL APPOINTED CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE COMPOSED OF AUSTRALIA, COLOMBIA, GREECE, PAKISTAN, PHILIPPINES, POLAND, TUNISIA, USSR AND USA.

3. FRG RESREP WERNER UNGERER WAS ELECTED CHAIRMAN PROGRAM TECHNICAL AND BUDGET COMMITTEE AND INDIAN AMBASSADOR R. JAIPAL WAS ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND LEGAL COMMITTEE.

4. USAEC CHAIRMAN RAY, SOVIET STATE COMMITTEE VICE-CHAIRMAN MOROKHOV, BRITISH AEA SECRETARY ARNOLD ALLEN, AND DELEGATES OF JAPAN, MADAGASCAR, ROMANIA, SAUDI ARABIA, AND URUGUAY WERE ELECTED VICE-PRESIDENTS OF THE CONFERENCE. CANADA, FRANCE, MOROCCO, AND UKRAINE WERE ELECTED ADDITIONAL MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE (STEERING COMMITTEE), TO SERVE WITH PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENTS, AND CHAIRMEN OF OTHER MAIN COMMITTEES.

5. NEXT ITEM WAS CONSIDERATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS OF GDR AND MONGOLIA. IN CAREFULLY STAGE-MANAGED PARADE, COSTA RICA, ALGERIA, AND BANGLADESH SPOKE IN FAVOR OF GDR ADMISSION, ONLY BANGLADESH SAYING A WORD IN PASSING IN FAVOR OF MONGOLIA. COSTA RICAN AMBASSADOR ARNALDO ORTIZ LOPEZ "FERVENTLY" SUPPORTED GDR APPLICATION NOTING ITS "HIGHLY-DEVELOPED TECHNOLOGY", ITS FOREIGN POLICY OF "RESPECT FOR ITS NEIGHBORS," AND FACT THAT DEVELOPING COUNTRIES COULD COUNT ON IT AS "SOLID AND TRUE ALLY." AFTER ADMISSION OF TWO COUNTRIES BY CONSENSUS, ROMANIA, USSR, AND CUBA PRAISED DECISION.

6. AT END OF HIS REMARKS, CUBAN DELEGATE POINTED OUT "STRIKING UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 03 IAEA V 07721 191001Z

ABSENCE" OF CHILE FROM CONFERENCE (CHILEAN AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED NO INSTRUCTIONS AND NO ACCREDITATION). CUBAN SAID CHILE HAD BEEN ERASED FROM LIST OF DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES AND HE ASKED DELEGATES TO STAND AND JOIN HIM IN MINUTE OF SILENCE IN MOURNING FOR CHILEAN DEMOCRACY. ONLY COMMUNIST DELEGATES STOOD AND CUBAN GAVE UP AFTER ABOUT 20 SECONDS.

7. GDR AND MONGOLIAN OBSERVER DELS THEN EXPRESSED APPRECIATION,

BOTH IN RUSSIAN, FOR GC'S ACTION. GDR STRESSED ITS USE OF ATOMIC ENERGY STRICTLY FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES AND PLEDGED "STRICT COMPLIANCE" WITH NPT AND WITH ITS SAFEGUARDS AGREEMENT WITH IAEA.

8. MORNING SESSION CONCLUDED WITH SPEECH BY WINSPEARE GUICCIARDI, REPRESENTATIVE OF UNSYG. GUICCIARDI PRAISED IAEA'S WORK IN NEGOTIATING SAFEGUARDS AGREEMENTS AND ON NUCLEAR POWER MARKET SURVEY. MESSAGE FROM WALDHEIM, WHICH HE READ, WELCOMED IN PARTICULAR IAEA-EURATOM SAFEGUARDS AGREEMENT, SUCCESS IN INCREASING RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR IAEA TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE BY 20 PER CENT SINCE 1971, STUDIES ON SAFE MANAGEMENT OF NUCLEAR WASTE, AND EFFECTIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR CO-ORDINATION WITH UNEP. COMMENT: SYG'S MESSAGE WELL-DONE AND TOUCHED ON EVERY POINT OF INTEREST TO US.TAPE

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: MEETING AGENDA, PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 19 SEP 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973IAEAV07721
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: IAEA VIENNA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730925/aaaaasca.tel
Line Count: 129
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION IO
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 3
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: kellerpr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 22 AUG 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <22-Aug-2001 by reddocgw>; APPROVED <18-Dec-2001 by kellerpr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: n/a
TAGS: PFOR, IAEA
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005